



Welcome to Hope Springs Church

We hope that you have enjoyed your experience with us so far. Below are a few tips to help enrich your Hope Springs experience.

- ⇒ Parents, we encourage you to take advantage of our wonderful Kid's Church (5 years - 5th grade), our Jr. Kid's Church (3-4 years) & our well staffed & loving nursery ministers (6 weeks - 2 years). Please remove all crying or disruptive children from the service. All children are asked to be seated towards the rear, near the exit, in order to not disturb the service when they need attention.
- ⇒ Remember to silence all cell phones, iPod's & other electronics during service.
- ⇒ Additional parking is available across the street if needed. Look both ways when crossing the road.
- ⇒ Our Connection Cards are for everyone. We ask all of our guests as well as our long time members to use them as a resource. Drop them in the basket on your way out after service.



Church News

Hope Team Leader/Host Training

Sunday, December 12th from Noon-2:00 p.m. or Tuesday, December 14th from 6:30-8:30 p.m. All Hope Team Host/Leaders should plan on attending one of these important training meetings.

Lunch is provided on Sunday & Dinner on Tuesday.

Membership Class 101

Friday, December 14 @ 6:30 p.m. This is the last opportunity to go through our membership class to be eligible for voting during our Annual Vision & Planning Meeting in on February 5, 2010. We will present our newest members to Hope Springs Church from this past year on January 2, 2011.

See Pastor Kris with questions.

Youth Ministry Winter Retreat

January 21-23, 2011. 6th-12th grade students are invited to sign up. Cost is \$120 per student.

Deadline for registration and payment is December 19th. Contact Pastor Sterling for info at Sterling@myhopesprings.com.

Christmas Eve Communion Service

Friday, December 24, 2010 @ 6:00 p.m. Join us for a time of worship, ministry, prayer & communion as we celebrate together the birth of our Savior. Cookies & refreshments will be served after the service.

All Church Christmas Party

Sunday, December 19, 2010 @ 5:00 p.m. There is a small (\$5 or less) gift exchange that you can participate in if you'd like to.

Theme is Mexican. So bring out your best Mexican dish for a potluck dinner & let's celebrate together.

Women's Breakfast & Shopping Day

Saturday, December 11, 2010 @ 8:00 a.m. We will meet at Chelle's for breakfast & head to Enfield for a day of shopping & fun.

Official Board Nominations

Nominations for individuals serving on our Official Board begin this month. If you would like to nominate someone to serve in this capacity, please see Pastor Kris for a copy of our Official Board Responsibilities & Qualifications as well as a Board Nomination Evaluation Form.

Connection Card

Sunday, December 5, 2010

Name

Email address (print)

Address

City | State | Zip

Home Phone

Cell Phone

Text?

Yes

No

- ☐ 1st-Time Guest
- ☐ 2nd-Time Guest
- ☐ Regular Attendee
- ☐ Member

1st or 2nd time guest, how did you hear about Hope Springs Church?

(Name of person who invited you, postcard, web-site, etc.)

My Next Step Today is...

- ☐ Commit my life to Christ today.
- ☐ Memorize Psalm 55:22 this week.
- ☐

I'd Like More Information About...

- ☐ Becoming a Member @ Hope Springs
- ☐ FPU Beginning in January
- ☐ Winter Freeze for my Teenager
- ☐ Serving on the Official Board @ Hope Springs Church

Sign me up for Hope Team #

We believe in the power of prayer. Let us know if you have a need and we'll pray.

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Prayer partners are available after service or during our prayer time. Please seek one out if you'd like to have someone pray for or with you.



Series: He Will Be Called... Counselor

Isaiah 9:6 - For to us a child is born, to us a son is given, and the government will be on his shoulders. And he will be called Wonderful Counselor, Mighty God, Everlasting Father, Prince of Peace.

ya`ats (yaw-ats') - to advise, to consult, to guide.

Hebrews 4:15-16 - For we do not have a high priest who is unable to sympathize with our weakness, but we have one who has been tempted in every way, just as we are, yet was without sin. Let us then approach the throne of grace with confidence, so that we may receive mercy and find grace to help us in our time of need.

Jesus - The Wonderful Counselor...

- Comes for the _____. (Luke 5:31-32)
 - ⇒ _____ the brokenhearted.
 - ⇒ Brings _____ to prisoners.
 - ⇒ Brings _____ to those who mourn.
- Comes for the _____. (Luke 19:1-10)

For Healing With the Wonderful Counselor...

- Be Brutally _____ with Him. (John 4:16-17 & Psalm 55:22)
- Listen to the Counselor's _____. (Mark 9:7 & John 10:27)
- Do what the Counselor _____ you to do. (Mark 10:17-22)

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